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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed December 13, 2007, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections made therein are respectfully requested, in view of the following remarks and amendments. Inasmuch as the three-month shortened statutory period is originally set in the Office Action to expire on March 13, 2007, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.